

Letter from Alexander Graham Bell to Sarah Fuller, December 21, 1898

328 December 21st. 1898. Miss Sarah Fuller. Dear Miss Fuller:—

Many thanks for your kind note of the 17th. instant just received.

More friends gone! You will be sorry to hear of the death of Dr. Gillett's mother. I see it noticed in one of the deaf-mute papers, and that he has just been summoned home on that account.

I have not heard of any proposed changes in the Illinois Institution, but I have received hea ?? from Mrs. Crane a copy of a bill that will be presented this winter to the Legislature of Illinois asking state aid for day schools. Under the provisions of this bill the Chicago Day Schools will received state aid, and a system of day schools, like that existing in Wisconsin, will be inaugurated. The bill is to be presented to the legislature by the Parents Association of Chicago, with the approval and endorsement of the Chicago Board of Education.

Yours sincerely, Alexander Graham Bell